PATENT 0397-0438P

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 February 7, 2005

Sir:

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February 7, 2004 (Monday)

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated October 6, 2004, the due date for response having been extended one (1) month to February 6, 2005 by petition herein, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.